e, and the same is hereby, confirmed. "General Order,

Chief Engineers of more than twelve years will make

th Commanders. Chief Engineers of less than twelve years, with Lieu-

Navy Department, January 13, 1859."

SEC: 3. And be it further enocial. That the sixth section of the act of sixteenth January, eighteen hundred and firty seven entitled "An act to amend an Act to promote the efficiency of the Navy shall be so construed as to include officers who at the time they were dropped or placed on the received list had been detected from duty or the received list had been detected from duty or the secretal list had been detected.

SPRING FASHION, 1859.

I HAVE now ready for exhibition and sale, an entrely new and olegant style of gentlemen's hats for spring.

JAP, Y. BAVIS,

Mar 6—31 Successor to Todd & Co.

IN PRESS—History of the Life and Times
James Madison, by Hon W. C. Rives, in 3 vols. 8vo. Vol.
will be ready in May next. Boston: Little, Brown, & Co.
Yeb 25-29.

OST.—In the coat room at Mr. Ould's House, in the orgation, on Monday night last, a silver-handled BOWIE-KNIE, with silver-mounted sheath; gold scuttorm plate. The finder on leaving it at the office of Willards' Hotel will be handsomely rewarded.

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THE METHODIST; or, Incidents and Characters

MIE METHODIST; or, Incidents and the from Life is the Baltimore Conference; by Miriam Beecher. 2 yels. 22.

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Opportunities for Industry, and the Safe Investment of Capital; or, Opportunities for Industry, and the Safe Investment of Capital; or, Thousand Chances to Make Money; by a Retired Merchant.
History of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations; y Samuel 6. Arnold. Vol. 1, 1636—1700; price \$2.50.
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BUFFALO ROBES, BUFFALO ROBES, BUFFA-large lot of superior Buffalo Robes, which they are selling very cheap-lain h-d

Law School of the University at Cambridge,

The Instructors in this School are: Hon. Jope Pangas, Ll. D. Royal Perfessor. Hon. Tunorumes Passons, Ll. D., Dane Professor. Hon. Exote Washingto, LL. D., University Professor.

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA FASHION-

able Spring Styles of Gent's Dress Hats, 1859, in pleasing va-bety of shape and pattern, at CHAS R LANES Hat and Cap Store, 424 Penn, avenue.

T ANDS ON COLLEGE HILL FOR SALE. The

aph of the original a copy of Rosa Bonheur's

David Bryant was shot dead in his own house last week Wilmington, Delaware, by Thomas McCoy, an injure

Hon. W. L. Yancy has gone to Florida, his health

Dr. Shamard has received the appointment of State geologist of Texas. He has, in the last twelve years, taken a leading part in the geological surveys of lows, Minoscota, Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, and Oregon. A. N. Zeverly, esq., formerly of North Carolina, who as been for some years a cherk in the Post Office Department, is to succeed the late Mr. Marron as Third Assist-

Dejacet's founc de chauder has just died, bequeathing to leer mistress a funded sum of 200,000 francs, which she confesses was from time to time purfoined, with the ultimate object of securing to her improvident employer an income of 10,000 francs in her old age.

Mr. Morphy, when last heard from, was still in Paris, employing his time chiefly in arranging a selection of one hundred games, preparatory to their simultaneous publication in London and Paris. He will shortly go to Berlin, where he will encounter Lange and Msyet, and he may visit Leipsic and Amsterdam.

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T. J. Parker, an English artist, has painted a historical picture of "Wellington and Lord Raglan crossing the Pyreness." It is considered by transattic critics as forming a worthy companion picture to Delaroche's celebrated one of Napoleon crossing the Alps.

Dr. George Abbott, of Cairo, American vice consul in Event died in the month of Lemany.

Dr. George Abbott, of Carlo, American vice consult in Egypt, died, in the month of January, at the residence of Hon. Edward de Leon, in Alexandria. We have heard no particulars of his death, but all Americans who re-member his noble form and countenance, and his warm-hearted and generous character, will unite in regretting

Gaius Fenn, of Plymouth, Coan., who forged a letter to Catholics, purporting to be written by Father Hughes, of New Haven, during the Fremont and Buchanan campaign, has been arrested for foging a far.? for \$350, which he offered at the New Haven City Bank, where its

W. H. Fry, one of the N. Y. Tribunc men, has been attempting to lecture on "Music," but his production— which it took him two hours and a quarter to deliver— was an olla podrida of pedantry, criticism, philosophy, ancedote, transcendentalism, politics, paradox, humor rhetorical, sophomoric declamation, and much more be

J. B. Merrick, a Sanducky architect, has made a design for the Perry monument. The proposed height is 128 feet. It has a shaft of 109 feet 6 inches, resting upon a pure Egyptian base 18 feet high and 23 feet square at its foundation. The obelisk at its base is 15 feet equare and 11 feet square at the summit. The stairs are to be of iron, circular in form, and in the basement are 6 feet in diameter. The dome will be 7 feet in diameter. At the several landings are windows lighting the dome fully on all four sides.

The Prince of Wales' visit to the Pope was conducted in a very private manner, but few persons accompanying him and no display being made in receiving him. On his approach, Pius IX. met him at the door of the aparthis approach, Fusi IX. met him at the door of the apartment and conducted him to a seat in the most affable manner, and then engaged in a very pleasant conversation in the French language. When the Prince retired his Holiness conducted him to the door with the same warmth of manner which he had manifested on receiving

Robert McLane, esq., who is to go out minister to Mexico, is an accomplished man. He is son to Louis McLane, of Delaware, who was Secretary of State under General Jackson, succeeding Edward Livingston to that office. He was a prominent member of Congress, repre-senting the Baltimore district of Maryland during the Polk administration, and was subsequently American suinister to China. He is a good linguist, a man of marked ability, and progressive in his views of American asion; and the very man, it appears to me, to repre-us at the Halls of the Montezuma, if he can find in these "troublous times."

Grattan's book on America, lately published in Lon Grattan's book on America, lately published in London, is not complimentary when speaking of Daniel Weister Grattan has the audacity to say that in public Webster "was ponderous rather than powerful. In society he had none of the lightness of a man of the world, nor the weight of a man of genius:" and further, that "as to the state-men, lawyers, and orators of Europe—O'Connell, Brougham, Peel, Marauley, Sheil, Guizot, Thiers, Berryer—he cannot be rauked with them at all. In elegance of style and diction he was inferior to Everett; in fluency and quickness, to Judge Story; in bold persuasiveness, to Clay; in sententious and antithetical terseness, to Calhoun; in fervor and command of language, to Preston,"

Cossequences of Advistration in France.—The adulturation of articles of food is made a very grave offence in publication of the sentence upon public placards. The France, the penalties being fine, imprise cublication of the sentence upon public placards. The latter penalty is most dreaded of all, as it strikes a blow at the business of the person convicted. The Paris Garette de Tribunaux of the 22d January, contains the sentence pronounced by the correctional tribunal, at the instance of the public prosecutor, against a large number of shop-keepers and milkmen, found guilty of adulteration. Some of these sentences are quite heavy. One milkman, who had been convicted for the fourth time, on a charge of "falsitying alimentary substances," was sentenced to eight months' imprisonment, and 3,000 francs fine; another, coarieted for the third time, to six months' imprisonment and 2,000 francs fine. They were also dooined to have six placards of the judgment posted up. The widow Peinaldy, milkwoman, for the falsification of milk, by adding thirty per cent. of water, was sentenced to three months imprisonment and fifty francs fine. M. Cordier, wine merchant, wine falsified by the substraction of cream, six days' imprisonment and fifty francs fine. M. Villin, grocer, coffee falsified with chicory, six days' imprisonment and fifty francs fine. M. Villin, grocer, coffee falsified with chicory, six days' imprisonment and fifty francs fine.

Outmirace.—The Greenfield (Mass.) Gazette says that an Irish servant girl in that town was despatched to a neighbor's with a note, and directed to give it personally to the person addressed. On arrival, Biddy found that the neighbor had gone to Northampton, whither she wended her way, twelve miles, on foot, and traversed the streets till she found the individual and delivered the note. She then started to return, stopping over night on the way with some friends, and reached home next day, when she told her mistress that she must give up her place, for she could not go any more such long errands.

Population of Sr. Louis.—The census of St. Louis, just completed, gives a total of one hundred and thirty-five thousand, of which only fifty-seven thousand six hundred and fifty-seven are Americans. The Germans number forty-three thousand eight hundred and severnty-four, the trish twenty-two thousand and thirteen, the English three thousand four hundred and fifty-one, and the French one thousand three hundred and thirty-seven. Free blacks, one thousand six hundred and seventy-two; slaves, one thousand four hundred and cighty-four. Of the latter, one thousand and thirty-three are females.

A short time since in Montevideo, whilst a French higate was returning an American salate, one of the gunners had his arm blown off. As soon as the fact was known in the American squadron, a subscription for him was started, which produced among ten steps the very bandsome sum of \$1,400! Upon its remission to him, the French Admiral addressed to the American one of those charming little notes, so graceful in the French language, in which he said that, although degrees of latitude and longitude might bind the geographical limits of our country and determine the allegiance professed to fits flag, there were no such confines to the generosity of the American sailor.

### GLEANINGS FROM THE MAILS.

The common school fund of Oregon, according to the report of the commissioners presented to the legislature, is \$32,376.

A rolling mill is about to be established in Elyton, Shelby county, Afabama, which will furnish the iron for the Northeast and Southwest railroad.

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The scarcity of grain in many parts of Canada is said to be such that the farmers will find it impossible to procure the necessary seed for spring sowing.

An exhibition of works of art, by living masters of all nations, will be opened at the Hague on the 23d of May, which is to last till the 4th of July.

That charitable and philanthropic order, the "Sons of Malta," has been established at Columbia, S. C., where fifteen candidates were initiated at the first meeting.

A provincial Mayor in one of the descent A provincial Mayor in one of the departments in France accume out with mephyram in the shape of a notinea-ion: "All beggare found in this district will be fined

lifteen francs for the use of the poor. A murder having been committed in a house of ill re

A murder having been committed in a house of ill repute at Quincy, Ill., an infuriated crowd destroyed no less than eight of such houses on a recent saturday night. Some were burnt down, and some were gutted and the furniture burned in the street.

The New Orleans Crescent of 24th February says that there are eighty five thousand bales of cotton in vessels that are stuck in the mud or delayed in sailing by the obstructions at the mouth of the river below New Orleans.

pickpocket; "She rarely speaks to any one; is always quiet, gentle, smiling, and genteel; comes like a son-beam, and, like it, also steds noiselessly away."

The total number of arrivals from foreign ports at Bos-ton during January and February was 234; same time last year, 157—show an increase of 77. The constwise arrivals were 588; same time last year, 410. This com-parison shows an important revival in the commerce of

pleted by the 1st of April, 1850, Col. Drayton, the very efficient president, having recently made an arrangement by which funds have been obtained. The contracts for the draw-bridge over the Savannah river will be shortly

The following portraits have recently been added to the National Portrait Gallery in London: William Harvey, the discoverer of the circulation of the blo d; Geo. Colman the elder, the dramatist, the connoiseur, and the translator of Terence, by Gaineborough; and John Keats, painted at Rome by the poet's friend, Severn.

The Waverly (lowa) Republican of the 23d ult says that a couple of hunters of that place recently shot a true Canadian lynx. It was a large one, and measured, when standing, two feet high and 34 inches along his back; tail vertebra four inches. He was of a general graylsh color, with the outer ends of the hair wavy black.

It is but a few years ago that a cotton manufactory was creeted in Prattville, Ala., by Mr. Daniel Fratt, who gives the name to the village. The last year the total amount of business done in the place was five hundred and eighty-seven thousand two hundred and ninety-one dollars, of which four hundred and twenty-three thousand four hundred and fifty dollars was in cotton manufactures.

In Leedsville, New York, a tame pigeon accompanied two little children to school regularly, flying after them along the street, alighting on the fences, trees, and in the road before them. If it flies too far ahead, you may see it turn round, and, looking at the children, wait patiently for their arrival, and then fly a stretch further on; and so it keeeps doing until they reach the school. Then it perches itself upon the window-sill, where it remains until school is out, when it observes the same manner in going home.

## OFFICIAL.

wel.d Orders, 1 Was DEPARTMENT, Adjutant General's Office, No. 37. Washington, March 4 1859 No. 37. Washington, March 4 1859
A board of me lical officers, to consist of Surgeous C. A. Finley,
I.M. Cayler, and S. P. Moore, will assemble at Philiadelphia, Penhydrania, on Friday, the 1st stay of April, 1859, or as so an thereafter
as practicable, for the examination of assistant surgeous for promoion, and or such candidates for appointment to the medical staff as

may be invited to present themselves.

Assistant Surgeon C. H. Crane is appointed Recorder of the Board.

By order of the Secretary of War: S. COOPER,

Arcticances must be add sed to the segant of Was; must cate the residence of the applicant, date and place of his

## WASHINGTON THEATRE.

ON SUNDAY EVENING, MARCH 6,

Will give a selection of Sacred Readings, as given by her for a se in London with the MOST UNDOUNDED SUCCESS.

WASHINGTON THEATRE.

MR. DAWSON Has the pleasure of announcing to his friends and she public gen the occasion of his BENEFIT, MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 7.

A special train will leave after the performance for Alexandria Box book open.

THE LECTURE before the Washington Art Association to morrow evening, will be delivered by Hon. F. P. Stanton, at 8 o'clock. Mar 6

ton, at 8 o'core.

Bed' First Baptist Cherch, Tenth Street,—The seventh analycerary of the Youth. Missionary Society will be held in this Church on Sonday (6th inst.) afternoon, at \$25 o'clock. Addresses from the Rev. Drs. Cole and P. D. Gurley. The public are respectfully invited.

NOVEL ATTRACTION.

PHILHARMONIC HALL.

PANORAMA OF THE WILKS' EXPLORING EXPEDITION ABOUND THE WORLD. THE first public exhibition of this beautiful and original social painting, will take place at Hilliammonic Hall, we hington, on Monday evening, March 2th. It has been carefully painted from the drawings of the artists who accompanied the expedition, and its correctness is certified to by the commander and by other officers. As a specimen of genorance painting, it has been pronounced by artists and by commissioners the guest, unque and perfect work ever produced.

One of the members of the Exploring Expedition.

So Tickets 25 cents—no reserved scale.

Boars open at 7—performance to commonce at quarter before eight. Mar 6—119

VALUABLE AND IMPORTANT WORKS.

FIRST.

chanics. Ji is a household companion.

In press, to be published shortly, Diary of the American Revolution, from newspapers and original documents; by Frank Moore. In 2 vois, 8 vo., of 500 pages each. Embellished with twelve engravings and plane on steel. Price \$5.

The design of this work is to present a view of the American revolution as it appeared to those who were actors in it. It is compased of selections from the wolk and to you newspapers of that period, to getter with extracts from intherto impublished priyate digries kept during the war, and at once affects the reader a margine in the original language and expression of both sides of the great questions within agritude the condicting countries.

Copious notes, illustrative of the more obscure portions of the toxibiographical sketches of eminent partiols, state-men, mittary and naval commanders, together with un abalytical index, will be attached to the work.

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Memotr of the Life of John Quincy Adams; by Josia
LL D. Price in cloth, \$2.25; abeep, \$3; half-calf, \$3.75. TAYLOR & MAURY, Booksellers and Stationers, No. 531 Pennsylvania avenue, Are authorized to receive subscriptions in Washington. Mar 6

LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Pub: 29. making appropriations for the naval service year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen bun

for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen bundred and sixty.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of Assertion in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty:

For pay of commission, warrant, and petity officers and seamen, including the engineer corps of the navy, three miffion nine hundred and thirty thousand four hundred and thirty-nine dollars.

For the payment of efficers restored to the mavy under the provisions of the act of January sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, during the period of their retirement or suspension, sixty-two thousand three hundred and ninety-four dollars.

For provisions for commission, warrant, and petty officers and seamen, including engineers and marines attached to vessels for sea service, nine hundred and forty-five thousand eight hundred and forty dollars.

For surgeons, necessaries and appliances for the sick and hunt of the navy, including the engineer and marine corps, thirty-five thousand is hundred dollars.

For fuel for the navy, to be purchased in the mode prescribed by law for other materials, and for the transportation thereof, six hundred thousand dollars.

For the purchase of hemp and other materials for the navy, three hundred thousand dollars.

For the repair, armament, and equipment of vessels, one million dollars shall be expended in any navy yard in the repair of any vessel until the necessity of such repair and the probable cost thereof is ascertained by the report of a board of not less than three officers of the navy.

For fordunnee and ordinance afores and small arms, in-

cluding incidental expenses, five hundred and sixty-three

cluding incidental expenses, five hundred and sixty-three thousand dollars.

For contingent expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, viz: freight and transportation, printing and stationery, salvertising in newspapers, books, maps, models, and drawings, purchase and repair of fire engines and machinery, repairs of and attending to steam engines in mavy yards, purchase and maintenance of horses and oxen, and driving teams, carts, timber wheels, and the purchase and repairs of workmen's tools, postage of public letters, fuel, oit, and candles for mavy yards and shore stations, pay of watetimen and incidental labor not chargeable to any other appropriation, transportation to and labor attending the delivery of provisions and stores on foreign stations, wharfage, dockage, and rent, travelling expenses of officers and others under orders, funeral expenses, store and officerent, fuel, commissions, and pay of clerks to mavy agents and storekeepers, flags, awnings, and packing boxes, premiums and other expenses of recruiting, apprehending deserters, per diem pay to persons attending courts martial, courts of inquiry, and other services authorised by law, pay to judges advocate, pilotage and towage of vessels, and assistance to vessels in distress, and for bills of health and quarantine expenses of vessels of the United States navy in foreign ports, eight hundred and ninety-six thousand dollars: \*Presided\*, That the expenditures under the foregoing appropriations shall be so accounted for as to show the disbursements by each bureau, under each respective appropriation.

For the Paraguay expedition for nine months, two

spective appropriation.

For the psyment of the charter, or purchase of of vessels for the Paraguay expedition for nine months, twhundred and eighty-nine thousand dollars: Presides
That if the said vessels shall not be purchased, no more shall be used of the sum herein appropriated, than may be necessary to pay for the charter of said yessels, at the rate agreed on, for such time as they may be employed by the government of the United States.

MARINE CORPS. For pay of officers, non-commissioned officers, musi cians, privates, clerks, messengers, stewards, and ser vants, for rations and clothing for servants, additional ra-tions for five years' service, for undrawn clothing and rations, bounties for re-collistments, four hundred and twenty-eight thousand nine hundred and thirty-sever dollars and thirty cents.

For provisions, seventy one thousandseven hundred and fty-nine dollars. For clothing, seventy three thousand eight hundred and

fifty-six dollars. fty-six dollars.

For fuel, twenty-two thousand three hundred and fortyr or lue, twenty-two thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

For uplitary stores, viz: pay of armorers, repair of arms, purchase of accoutrements, ordnance stores, flags, drams, fifes, and other instruments, twelve thousand dol-

lars.

For transportation of officers and troops, and expense of recruiting, fourteen thousand dollars. For repairs of barracks, and rent of offices where there are no public buildings for that purpose, eight thousand dollars.

dollars.

For contingencies, viz: freight, ferriage, toll, cartage, wharfage, compensation to judges advocate, per diem for attending courts-martial, courts of inquiry, and for constant labor, house rent in lieu of quarters, burial of destant labor, house rent in lieu of quarters, burial of de-ceased marines, printing, stationery, postage, telegraph-ing, apprehension of deserters, oil, candles, gas, forage, straw, furniture, bed sacks, spades, shovels, axes, picks, carpenters 'tools, keep of a horse for the messenger, pay of matron, washerwoman, and porter at the hospital headquarters, thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars. For the preservation of works and for the current re-pairs at the several navy yards, viz: At Portsmouth, New Hampshire, ten thousand dollars. At New York, twenty thousand dollars. At Philadelphin, fifteen thousand dollars. At Washington, ten thousand dollars. At Washington, ten thousand dollars.

At Norfolk, twenty thousand dollars. At Pensacola, ten thousand dollars. At Marc Island, California, twenty thousand dollars. At Sackett's Harbor, one thousand dollars.

HOSPITALS. For the construction and completion of works, and for a current repairs of the several naval hospitals : noston.

For repairs of hospital buildings and fences, two thou sand five hundred dollars. NEW YORK-

For repairs of buildings and fences, seven thousand

For repairs of buildings and tences, seven thousand dollars.

NAVAL ASYLUM.

For paving and curbing on Shippen street, paving side walks on Shippen street, painting and repairing buildings, furniture and repairs of same, house-cleaning and white washing, furnace, grates, and ranges, and repairs, trees and tree boxes on Shippen street, gas tax, and water rent tax, eleven thousand one hundred and thirty-five dollars.

For support of beneficiaties at the asylum, twenty-six thousand six hundred and eighty dollars.

Nonfolk.

For repairs of buildings, eighteen thousand two hundred and seventy dollars.

For general repairs of hospital buildings, and for draining and filling ponds, ten thousand five hundred dollars.

MAGAZINES.

For the construction and completion of works, and for the current repairs of the several naval magazines.

For gun skids, shot beds, new powder magazine, and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs of the contraction, the characterity repairs of all kinds, forty-six thousand four hundred and repairs a

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For repairs of all kinds, two thousand five hundred See york. For completing armory, and repairs of all kinds, eight thousand dollars.

For repairs of all kinds, one thousand dollars.

NORFOLE. For completing stone pier and landing at Fort Nor-folk, powder boat, and regains of all kinds, lifty-five thou-sand nine hundred and sixty dollars.

PENSACULA.

# graphical surveys, and astronomical observations, in addition to the balance on hand, seven thousand dollars. For continuing the publication of the series of Wind and Current Charts, and for defraying all the expenses connected therewith, fifteen thousand dollars. For models, drawings, and copying: for postage, freight, and transportation; for keeping grounds in order; for foel and lights; and for all other contingent CITY INTELLIGENCE.

MR. DAWSON'S BENEFIT. gh we are forced, for want of space, to omit the greater portion of our "local items," we must commend public the claims of the Metropolitan Comedian to onse at his benefit on Monday night. He needs received and lights; and for all other contingent expenses; and for the wages of persons employed at the inited States Naval Observatory and Hydrographical line, viz; one instrument maker, two watchmen, and one porter, six thousand dollars.

For the rection and repairs of buildings, improvement and preservation of the grounds, and for contingencies at the United States Naval Academy, fifty thousand dollars. no introduction, and the Washington play-going public are equally well acquainted with his histrionic merits an with his gentleman-like deportment in socia! life. His praises are heard on every hand, yet those praises profit but little, and we trust that his friends will exert the selves to have the the stre filled on Monday right. Omnibus like, it will hold a great many people, but it can nev-ertheless be filled. Shall it be filled? The ticket-seller For completing seven screw sloops and one side-wheel teamer, authorized by act twelfth June, eighteen hunred and fifty eight, six hundred and seventy four thouand dollars.

Size. 2 And be it further enocked. That the following 
eneral order issued by the Secretary of the Navy, and 
ated Japuary thirtieth, eighteen hundred and tifty-nine, 
or and the same is heavy, confirmed. will be able to answer this question on Monday night and the friends of the beneficiary will enable him to de-

PANORAMA OF WILKIS'S EXPLORING EXPEDITION.—It will be seen by an advertisement in another column, that a Panorama of rare merit is to be exhibited at Philharmoni Hall to morrow evening. It was painted by Mr. Walcott, a meritorious artist, under the direction of Mr. Erskine, tenants.

First Assistant Engineers, next after Lieutenants.
Second Assistant Engineers next after Masters.

Third Assistant Engineers, with Midshipmen.
Commanding and executive officers of whatever grade will take precedence over all Engineer Officers.

This order confers no authority to exercise military command and no additional right to quarters.

18AAC TOUCEY,
Secretary of the Navy. (who now exhibits it,) from drawings by artists who went in the Expedition, never before shown to the public. Striking scenes in South America, South Shetland, Palmos Lands, Australia, the Society and Sandwich Islands, New Zealand, the Fejee Islands, Oregon and California, can but be interesting, the more especially as their accuracy and truthfulness has been certified to by the following high authorities:

cide. If they do their duty, he will announce a "bun

Mr. Charles Easking—
Dear Sir : It affords me great pleasure to state that I was very much gratified with the Panorama of scenes drawn during the voyage of the Exploring Expedition round the world, and to bear my testimony as to their accuracy and truthfulness, and hope you may be rewarded for your exertions and expense in getting it up for exhibition.

Very sin.erely your friend,
CHARLES WILKES,

and late Commander of the Explorement of the Expl

the efficiency of the Navy shall be so construed as to include officers who at the time they were dropped or placed on the reserved list had been detached from duty or removed from command for supposed inefficiency or unfitness but who have since been restored to the active list and such officers shall receive the same pay they were receiving respectively when they were so detached or removed, up to the termination of their cruise when so detached deducting any pay they may have otherwise received during the time aforesaid and that this shall extend to any officer who has been transferred from the furtion; hist to the leave of absence list by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate. That such officers of the navy as were dropped from the service by the action of the late "Naval Retiring Board" and who have been subsequently restored to the service and placed upon the "furlough" or "leave pay" list shall be allowed furlough pay, if placed upon the furlough list and leave pay if placed upon the leave list, for and during the time they were so dropped, deducting any pay which they otherwise received during the time aforesaid.

Approved 3 March 1859— Captain U. S. Navy, and late Commander of the Explor It affords me pleasure to add my mite of testimony to

WM. L. HERNDON, Capt. U. S. Navy, and late Commander of the Peacock

Mr. Charles Erskine—

Siz: It affords me pleasure to add my testimony to that of the Commanders of the late U. S. Exploring Expedition as to the correctness of the views exhibited on the evening of the 2d inst. They are, in my opinion, much more faithful in a true representation of the scenes than such paintings usually are, and I hope will be favorably received by the public generally.

Very respectfully yours,

T. R. PEALE,

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Time Wasten .- We find the following good joke in the New Orleans Picayune of last Sunday morning. The 'hero'' is well known here, of course :

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"Not many months ago, a party of comedians were journeying from New York to Washington, to join a company that was about to commence a dramatic season in that city of magnificent distances." Among them were the excellent low comedian, Joo Jefferson, and one of our Varieties favorities, whom we will oull, 'for shortness,' Dolly. The play they were to open in was 'The School for Scandal,' and it was taken for granted that Dolly would be cast for the gay gentleman whose province it would be to sing the well-known song, 'Here's to the maiden of blushing sixteen.' Now, it so happened that Dolly did not know the song, never having had occasion to study it. Joe undertook to get him up in it, en route. They were travelling by rail, and all the way the lesson lasted—on the platform of the cars, in the baggage room, at the stopping places, everywhere, and all the time. Joe was a faithful teacher, and Dolly an attentive and appreciative pupil.

ciative pupil.

"By the time they reached Washington the latter was admirably 'up' in the song, and could rattle it off as glib-ly as his instructor. Elate with the anticipation of the reflect he was certain to produce in it, he accompanied his friend, on their arrival, to the theatre. Entering the green-room, and looking at the cast of the comedy, fancy, his feelings on finding hingself set down for the interest-ing and very musical part of Old Rowley!"

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Naw Yoak, March 5.—Cotton closed higher—sales of 8,500 baies; upland, 121 cents. Flour closed higher—sales of 24,000 bbls.; State, \$5 60 a \$5 80; Ohio, \$6 70 a \$6 80; southern, \$6 25 a \$6 60. Wheat closed buoyant—sales of 60,000 bushels; western white, \$1 75 a \$1 80; red, \$1 50. Corn closed buoyant—sales of 17,000 bushels; white, \$5 cents; yellow, \$4 cents; mixed, 87 cents. Pork closed heavy and lower—mess, \$17 37 a \$17 95; prime, \$13 134. Lard quiet at 114 a 124 cents. Whiskey dail at 274 a 28 cents. Sugar is all yellow, William at 50 cents. Coffee closed buoyant—sales of 5,000 bags at 114 cents for Rio. Spirits of turpentime firm at 50 cents. Rosin steady at \$1 734. Rice closed firm.

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